

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.: 10/088,980 §
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Applicants: Kevan Hatchman, et al. §
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Filed: March 26, 2002 §
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Examiner: D. S. Metzmaier §
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Art Unit: 1712 §
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Title: **Structured Surfactant** §
Systems §

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR A THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

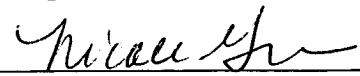
Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby requests a three (3) month extension of time to file a response to the non-final Office Action mailed June 24, 2005. This request extends the original due date of September 24, 2005 by three (3) months to December 24, 2005.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to deduct the fee of \$1020.00 for the extension of time for response within the third month from Huntsman Corporation Deposit Account No. 08-3442.

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Respectfully Submitted,


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